## Parametric Study of a Two-Stage Betatron Collimation for the PS2

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PS2 is a **high intensity** ( $E_{kinet}$ =4-50 GeV, I<sub>FT</sub>= 1 10<sup>14</sup>ppp) synchrotron under design to replace the current CERN PS.

Beam losses are a concern, so **low loss design approach is adopted** e.g. transition crossing avoided, space charge effect minimized (raised injection energy)...

Certain percentage of losses are **unavoidable**  $\rightarrow$  collimation system,

- allowing fast interventions and hands-on maintenance
- protecting machine devices
- provide flexibility for future upgrades in the machine

To optimize the performance of a collimaton system it should be considered from the **early design stages** (e.g. avoid space contrains). First beam halo estimation based in **CERN PS operation** (ongoing studies,

see Ji's talk WE02C02).

- $\blacktriangleright$  For an improved machine like PS2,  $I_{halo}\text{=}3\%$   $I_{total}$  is a conservative assumption.
- ► Considering CERN Fixed Target beam  $\rightarrow$  P<sub>3%</sub> ≈10 kW.

#### **Collimation Concept and Parametrization**

Slow diffusion process drives particles to impact tangentally to the jaw. The collimators remove these particles at a defined amplitudes. The diffusion velocity ( $v_{\text{diff}}$ ) and and local optics determine the impact parameter (d).



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 Loss location determination, trajectories comparison with machine aperture model.

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<sup>1</sup>N. Catalan-Lasheras, PhD 1998 and G. Robert-Demolaize, PhD 2006.

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Momentum collimation only possible in dispersion suppressor (not shown here).

#### Setting Up the Simulations: Length of the Scatterer

In the case of thin scatterers  $(l_{scatt}\ll\lambda_I)$  at first approximation the scatterer length consideres only Multiple Coulomb Scattering. A Gaussian approximation for the central 98% of the projected angular distribution, with a width given by

$$\theta(x) = \frac{13.6 \text{ MeV}}{\beta_{\text{rel}} cp} \sqrt{\frac{x}{\chi_0}} \left( 1 + 0.038 \ln \frac{x}{\chi_0} \right)$$

Considering the optics and apertures for the two long straight section considered we obtained the following values,

Material	χ <sub>0</sub> [cm]	L <sub>Doublet,x,S</sub> [m]	L <sub>Triplet,x,S</sub> [m]	L <sub>Doublet,y,S</sub> [m]	L <sub>Triplet,y,S</sub> [m]
С	19.32	0.006	0.01	0.0008	0.003
W	0.3504	0.0001	0.00016	0.00004	0.00005

First iteration with heavy Z materials (**Tungsten**) for scatterers and secondaries (1 m long) secondaries maximize absorption probability. FLUKA simulations already confirmed that **energy deposition and temperature rise are not an issue for the secondaries**.

Particle iteration with the scraper will define the efficiency regime.



We define the cleaning efficiency of a collimation system as,

$$\eta_{\rm eff} = 1 - \eta_{\rm ineff} = 1 - \frac{\dot{N}_{\rm p,lost}}{\dot{N}_{\rm p,total}},$$

Results for an horizontal halo (right) and vertical (left).



Results of doublet version LSS are not discussed in detail here. Similar patterns are found, the lack of optimal phase advances lower efficiency to an average of **93% for an horizontal halo** and **90% for a vertical**.

The orthogonal scattering makes the vertical collimators absorb almost 50% of an horizontal halo.

Vertical Coll.



#### Horizontal Coll.

The comparison of efficiency profile for different materials for an adjusted the scatterer length (here  $L_W$ = 0.0007 m and  $L_C$ =0.02 m) reveals a **displacement** in the cleaning efficiency minimum towards larger impact parameters.



More uniform behaviour for Copper in case of slow diffusion processes. However as larger scatterer lengths needed for lighter materials more nuclear scattering is expected.

The validation of the system is done against 1 W/m threshold for  $P_{halo}$ = 10 kW. All different configurations fulfilled the requirements in terms of average losses with improvement margin adding additional collimators.



Peak losses occur in the collimation region<sup>3</sup> and beginning of ARC1. On the other hand, sensitive areas as injection and extraction (LSS1) and



Ongoing FLUKA simulations with complete magnets geometry and radio protection experts shielding evaluation will give "green light".

<sup>3</sup>Losses in the collimators not depicted

#### **Conclusions & Outlooks**

- Sixtrack+K2 package validated and used in the 1-50 GeV range (collimation and extraction studies).
- ► A theoretical two stage betatron collimation system with fullfills the PS2 requirements for average uncontrolled losses (1 W/m). Additional collimators in the collimation region could improve efficiency if needed.
- ► Initial beam halo distribution will define a minimum in the cleaning efficiency (up to 2 units less), related to the number of impacts in the scraper. Lighter materials displaced the minimum towards faster diffusions.
- The orthogonal scattering contribution has been demonstrated and raise beam loading concerns in the vertical collimators.
- Energy deposition studies have to certify the **survival of the scatterers**. Secondaries not an issue.

# Thanks for your attention!

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